

The Role of the Supervisor

The Supervisor is essential to the success of the Project Term Independent Study at Black River Public School. This is a unique opportunity for members of the larger community to guide and assist students in their pursuit of a unique learning experience. Students will discuss the requirements of Project Term Independent Study with their Supervisor. Supervisors and students may choose to create the goals together.

The Supervisor will be asked to accept the following responsibilities:

1. Be aware of the contents of the proposal and sign the final version.
2. Supervise the student during the Independent Study and sign a weekly time sheet to verify the hours.
3. Complete the Supervisor's Evaluation form at the end of Project Term.
4. Contact the Coordinator if there are any concerns at any point during the Study:

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Please note the following important information about Project Term Independent Study:

1. Students doing a Two-Block Study are to work a minimum of 54 hours, excluding their lunch hours. Students doing a One-Block Study must work a minimum of 27 hours, excluding their lunch hours. Any missed days or hours must be rescheduled.
2. Attendance and punctuality are important.
3. A student may not be paid for work done during his/her Independent Study.
4. The student is obligated to fulfill a specific set of requirements in order to successfully complete the Independent Study. In addition to his/her unique final product or paper, the student will maintain a daily log of activities and will write a one-page final reflection of the overall experience.
5. Supervisors are invited to attend the Project Term Open House on Thursday, June 7th from 6:30 to 8:00 at Black River Public School.

Thank you for your willingness to lend your time and expertise to these ambitious students!

Jen Wezeman